

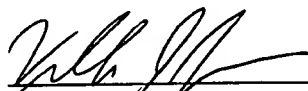
REMARKS

Reconsideration and removal of the grounds for rejection are respectfully requested. Claims 1-12 were in this application, claims 5-9 and 11 have been withdrawn and are now cancelled in response to a restriction requirement, claim 12 has been cancelled and claim 1 amended to include the limitation of claim 12 therein.

Claims 1-4 and 10 were rejected as being anticipated by Dall'Omo (5,465,550). However claim 12 was considered allowable if placed in independent form. By this amendment, claims 1 and 12 have been combined, thus rendering moot the rejection and placing the application in condition for allowance.

Based on the above amendments and remarks, favorable consideration and allowance of the application is requested. However should the examiner believe that direct contact with the applicant's attorney would advance the prosecution of the application, the examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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